By Andw. S. Douglas Esqr.
Captain of His Majesty's Ship
Roebuck.

You are hereby required & directed to supply the Boatswain of His Majesty's Ship Romulus with the undermention'd Sail Vizt.

	Yds. head	Sq.	Dept.
Fore topsail, One in No.	22 1/2	= 34	= 14 1/4

taking proper Receipts for the same: for which this shall be your Order.

Given under my hand on board His Majesty's Ship Roebuck Off Charles town the 9th March 1780.

A. S. Hamond

To
Mr. John Bridgman
Boatswain of His
Majesty's Ship
Roebuck.

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By Sir And.w S. Hamond
Captain of His Majesty's
Ship Roebuck.

Pursuant to an Order from Mariot Arbuthnot Esq.r Vice Admiral of the Blue & Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships & Vessels employed in North America &c. &c. &c.

Whereas Sir Henry Clinton has made Application for the undermention'd Stores for the use of trans=porting Cannon &c. in carrying on the Siege of Charles town. You are hereby required & directed to supply the Army employed on that Service with the same (Viz.t)

Winding tackle	Pendant	7 In.	11 Fa.m
	Fall	4	54 "
	Strapping	6	16 "
	Seizing	1½	16 "
Four fold Coaked Block		18	1 N.o
Three D.o		18	1 "
Single D.o		{ 18	1 "
		17	1
Slings		6½	6 Pr.s

taking care to discharge yourself of them in your Expence Book: For which this shall be your Order.

Given under my hand on board said Ship 9.th March 1781.

A S Hamond

To
Mr. Jn.o Bridgman
Boatswain of His
Majesty's Ship
Roebuck

By Sir Andw. S. Hamond
Knt. Commander of His
Majesty's Ship Roebuck

Pursuant to an Order from
Mariot Arbuthnot Esqr. Vice Admiral
of the Blue &c. &c. &c.

The Admiral having
purchased the Transport Ship Sandwich
to serve as an Arm'd Ship of War to carry
12 – 24 Pounders on her lower Deck &
6 – 18 Pounders on the upper Deck &

You are hereby required
and directed to fit her for Service
and supply her from time to time
with such stores as may be necessary

taking care to make a
proper Expence of the same, for which
this shall be your Order.

Given under my hand
on Board His Majesty's
Ship Roebuck within
Charles town Bar. 1st. Apl. 1780.

A S Hamond

To
Mr. John Simpson
Carpenter of His
Majesty's Ship
Roebuck.

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By Sir Andw. S. Hamond Knt.
Captain of His Majesty's Ship
Roebuck.

Pursuant to an Order from Mariot Arbuthnot Esqr. Vice Adml. of the Blue & Commander in Chief &c.

The Admiral having arm'd the Sloops Fury, Kepple & Eagle to serve during the Siege of Charlestown

You are hereby required & directed to see them properly fitted for Service, & to supply them from time to time with such stores as they may be in want of, & you can spare from the Ship.

taking care to make a proper Expence of the same, for which this shall be your Order

Given under my hand on Board His Majesty's Ship Roebuck 10th Day of April 1780.

A S Hamond

To
Mr. Jno. Bridgman
Boatswain of His
Majesty's Ship
Roebuck.

By Sir Andw. S. Hamond
Captain of His Majesty's Ship
Roebuck.

Pursuant to an Order from Mariot Arbuthnot Esqr. Vice Admiral of the Blue & Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Ships & Vessels employed in No. America &c. &c. &c.

Whereas the Pilot Boat Kitty employed by the Admiral during the Siege of Charles town is in want of the undermentiond Stores, & there being none at this place,

You are hereby required & directed to cause the Sailmakers on board His Majesty's Ship Roebuck under my Command to make the Sails for the said Boat, and to supply her with the Stores; taking care to make a proper Expence of the Materials & have the Commander's Receipt for the same.

Main Sail	One in No.
Fore Sail	One
Jibb	One
Rope of 2 In.	One Hd. fath.
Compass Brass Box	One in No.

For which this shall be your Order. Given under my hand on board His Majesty's Ship Roebuck the 20th April 1780.

A. S. Hamond

To
Mr. H. Bridgman
Boatswain of His
Majesty's Ship
Roebuck

By Sir Andw. S. Hamond
Captain of His Majesty's Ship
Roebuck.

Pursuant to an Order from Marriot Arbuthnot Esqr. Vice Admiral of the Blue &c. &c. &c.

Whereas the Lord North Tender employed by the Admiral on Service at this place cannot proceed to Sea without a Supply of a Foresail & Jibb, and there being no Stores at this place.

You are hereby required & directed to cause the Sail Makers on board His Majesty's Ship Roebuck under my Command to make a Main Sail & Jibb for the said Tender; taking care to make a proper Expence of the materials, & to have the Commanding Officer's Receipt for the Sails as a Voucher to pass your Accounts, for which this shall be your Order.

Given under my hand on board His Majesty's Ship Roebuck within Charles town Bar the 20th April 1780.

A. S. Hamond

To
Mr. Jno. Bridgman
Boatswain of His Majesty's
Ship Roebuck

By Sir Andw. S. Hamond Knt.
Captain of His Majesty's Ship Roebuck.

Pursuant to an Order from Mariot Arbuthnot Esqr. Vice Admiral of the Blue and Commander in Chief of His Majestys Ships & Vessels in No. America &c. &c. &c

And Whereas the Admiral thinks it necessary to cause a Fort to be erected on Mount Pleasant for the protection of the Ships in this Harbour during the siege of Charles town.

You are hereby required and directed to send on shore from His Majesty's Ship Roebuck under my Command such stores as may be necessary to compleat the works, taking care to make a proper Expence of the same: for which this shall be your Order.

Given under my hand on board His Majesty's Ship Roebuck in Charles Town Harbour the 28th Apl. 1780.

A S Hamond

To

Mr. John Simpson
Carpenter of His
Majesty's Ship
Roebuck